

**To run October 14 – January 4**

Dear Health Check Provider:

The State of Georgia is interested in the good health of all children and offers child health care services within the Division of Medical Assistance under the Health Check Program. The Advisory Committee of Immunization Practices (ACIP) recommends that flu vaccination of healthy children ages 6 - 23 months should begin in October 2002. The Department of Community Health wants to remind all Health Check Providers that the Flu Vaccine is covered in the Health Check Program. If a provider is enrolled in the Health Check Program, they are allowed to provide Flu Vaccines (Procedure Codes 90657, 90658, and 90659) to Medicaid and Peachcare for Kids children under the age of 19.

Appendix D of the Health Check Policy Manual provides the list of procedure codes and diagnosis codes for all vaccines administered via the Health Check Program.

If providers do not have a current copy of the Health Check Policy Manual, they may download it from the Department of Community Health's Website: [www.dch.state.ga.us](http://www.dch.state.ga.us). Providers may also contact our Fiscal Agent, EDS, at 404-297-3748 or 1-800-766-4456 to obtain a hard copy of the Health Check Policy and Billing Manuals.

If you have questions or need additional information, please call Adriane Smalls, Program Specialist of the Georgia Health Check Program at 1-800-377-3557 or 404- 656-4135.

Sincerely,  
Georgia Department of Community Health, Division of Medical Assistance